him and cannot retreat. The next State Convention will prove his Waterleo."

"Will the organization name the next Republican candidate for Governor?"

"I do not believe it will. If Morton, however, is renominated, or any out-and-out Platt man, there will be another Republican candidate for Governor placed in the field. I believe temporary defeat preferable to a continuation of the autocratic power that is now in control.

This talk of Jerome's about the Anti-Platt Republicans kniffing the candidates of the regular organization, as represented in the Republican Rather, President of the McKinley League, says he will do the same, and that lots of Anti-Platt Republicans will follow suit. It is very evident that Mr. Milholand is to dispute with Mr. Miller the leadership of the Anti-Platt Republicans in the State. If Miler the leasers of white was the property of the Hon. Sam Fessenden called on Mr. Platt the Fifth Avenue Hotel resterday, said that he wasn't going to Canton to see Mr. McKinley, and added that nine of Connecticut's twelve elegates would certainly vote against Mc-

FIRST BIG CONVENTION.

Prohibitionists to Name a National Ticket This Week at Pittsburgh.

PITTSBURGH, May 24.—The advance guard of the Prohibition National Convention, which will begin on Wednesday in the new Exposition Music Hall, reached Pittsburgh to-day, headed by National Chairman Samuel Dickie of Michigan, and Ex-tiov. John P. St. John of Kansas. It is espected that at the opening there will be pres-ent 1,000 of the 1,160 delegates, and from 500 to 800 alternates, together with from 5,000 to

to one visitors. The Convention promises to be by far the liveliest ever beld, as this year the free-silver question will even overshadow that of prohibi-tion. The delegates are divided into three factions on the platform to be adopted, and a split is not improbable. There are single-issue men who stand for a platform with nothing but prohibition in it; the "narrow-gauge" men, who advocate a platform which, in addition to the prohibition plank, will embody such political declarations as in their judgment can go through the Con vention with a good degree of unanimity, and the "broad-gauge " men. who, in addition to the prohibition plank, advocate woman's suf-frage, free silver, and Government control of

frage, free silver, and Government control of public works.

Chairman Dickie says the "narrows" will win by 600 to 400. He thinks it feelish for the party to wrangle over the free-silver question, for there is no hope of its being called on to regulate the government of the country this time, and in four years the silver question will not be hear! of.

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time, and in four years the sliver question will not be heard of.

Ex-Gov. St. John is representative of the "broads." "Why, it takes 500 bushels of wheat." he said, "to bring one of our Callfornia delegates here: 400 bushels of corn for a Kansas delegate, and 700 bushels of potatoes for a Wisconsin delegate; and when things are that way it is time they were being changed. "The narrows have had cantrol of the Convention heretofore, and this time we propose to get the upper hand. If anything should happen that the narrows win, it would mean the less to the party of fully 100,000 votes in the compne elections, all of which would go to the Populista."

ALDRICH ON THE SITUATION. The Senator Says a Straddle at St. Louis

Would Be Sulcidal, PROVIDENCE, May 24.-Senator Nelson W. Aldrich has exercised extreme caution in expressing his views on the Presidential situation. His position in national affairs, an admirer, friend, and stanch supporter of Thomas B. Reed, has closed his lips concerning the can-

didacy of Major McKinley.

An interview which Senator Aldrich gave a reporter on Saturday evening contains some advice for the Republican party, and it is thought that he fears that McKinley will receive the

that he fears that McKinley will receive the nomination. The Senator was asked what he thought the party should do on the money question at the St. Louis Convention.

"It is essential, in my opinion," he replied.

"for the future success of the Republican party that it should declare at St. Louis, definitely and emphatically, in favor of sound money and against the free coinage of silver. But it is of equal, if not greater, importance to nave it understood that no candidate can or is likely to be nominated who takes an equivocal position on this subject.

"In the presence of persistent attempts in and out of Congress to impair the credit of our Government and to destroy the prosperity of the people with the strong probability that the Chicago Convention will nominate a free-silver man on a free-silver platform, any other course would beauticidal.

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"Who will be the Democratic nominee?"

"That is a pretty difficult question to answer at the present time. I think, however, that, as I have said, he will be a silver man, and will come from a Western State. It looks to me as if Boies of Iowa has the bestchance."

"Will McKinley be nominated at St. Louis?"

"I should prefer to leave that question unanswered at present. The Reed men have not, however, given up the fight."

FOR M'KINLEY AND Programme of the Anti-Platt Republicans

In New York County. Should McKinley win at St. Louis, an anti-

speedily be formed. Should he stub his toe at the finish and another win the race, the malcontents will hold their horses for another This information was confided to THE SUN reporter by a member of the Republican County Committee who has been present at recent con-

ferences of the anti-Platt Republicans, the last of which was held last week at the St. Cloud of which was heid last week at the St. Cloud Hotel. He said that John E. Milholland and his friends are impatient of delay, but that Gen. McCook and the anti-Platt members of the present County Committee insist on waiting until McKinley is nominated.

The argument in favor of a new organization then, they say, will be that Mr. McKinley will be entitted to have the campaign conducted in this city by his friends. A much more potent argument is that there will be a little federal patronage to be dispensed by a Republican President to attract a birger following than President to attract a birger following than President to attract a bigger following than

THE GOLD MEN WON.

Spirited Contest in Columbus, O., Over a

COLUMBUS, O., May 24.-In the primary election held yesterday to select a candidate for Congress the Democrats of this city and county took a decided stand against free silver. The issue was fairly drawn. There were two candidates for the nomination. N. R. Hysell had announced that he was in favor of the free coinage of silver as demanded by the free-silver advo-cates, and that he did not want any man to vote for him who was not in favor of that proposi-tion. The other candidate, Henry J. Hooth, while he made no statement is a well-known opponent of free silver. Hooth beat Hysell two

Silver Men Win in Indiana and Illinois. CRICAGO, May 24 .- Democratic county conventions were held yesterday in St. Clair, Warren, and Ferry counties, all of which declared for free silver. INDIANAPOLIS, May 24. The Democrats of Montgomery, Madison, Posey, and Rush counties held conventions yesterday and declared for free silver.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 24. After negotiations extending through two years, the Phoenix Oil Company of West Virginia has secured a long lease on land in the Osage Indian reserve rangements have been made to begin sinking wells at once.

A few months ago the Osage Indian Council finally gave consent to the lease, and the contract was prepared and executed after the Indian Affairs. Officer at Washington had been consuited. The Indians will receive a royalty on the output of any wells that may be struck.

Extending the Santa Fe Lines. SANTA FE, N. M., May 24 .- The Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fé Railroad will to-morrow start a surveying corps west from White Water, Grant county, to sun a line to Phienix. Ariz. with a view to building an independent line to the Pacific coast, in case it fails to buy the Atlantic and Pacific at the foreclosure sale on July 8. A line from Victor, Cal. to Ash Fork. Ariz. has already been surveyed.

Bicycle Mishaps in Brooklyn.

Otto Seidal, aged 10 years, of 312 Glenmore avenue, and Charles Mang, aged 12, of 167 Bradford street, had a collision yesterday while not bicycle riding, and the former was so se rerely injured that he had to b taken to St. Mary's flospital.

Joseph Scoff, aged 86 years, of 749 Myrile spents, was knocked down by an unknown bioyelist in medford avenue, life received a bad theck.

SHOT ON AN EXCURSION.

BLOOD FLOWS LIKE BEER WITH THE DIAMOND PLEASURE CLUB.

The East Side Sends a Tough Crowd on Two Barges for a Sunday Or its Drunk-en Fights Buic and One May End in Murder-Five Arrests Made in Elizabeth. The Diamond Pleasure Club, composed of roung men living in the neighborhood of

Eighteenth street and First avenue, had its first exencation vesterday. It was intended to go to Raritan Beach, but there was so much fighting aboard the boat that the Captain turned homeward when opposite South Amboy, and by the time the excursionists got back to the city two men had been shot and half a hundred had

The club's posters displayed on the east side fences announced that it would be one of the liveliest excursions that ever left New York.

The club engaged the barges Caledonia and Coxsackle, with the tug Genesia. At the foot of Sixty-third street, East River, shortly after 10 o'clock in the morning, the barge Coxsackie took on a crowd made up principally of so-called "eigarette giris" and barkeepers. The tug towed this lively load down to the foot of Eighteenth street, where the Caledonia was tied up to the

The Caledonia was crowded. Her load included east side toughs, "fighters," and short-haired girls, who talked worse than they looked. At noon the excursion boats were towed down the river, and made a stop at the Market street

There was a big crowd of Fourth and Seventh warders waiting on the dock at Market street. The Eighteenth street crowd didn't have any

the Eighteenth street crowd duth the newcomers re-ciprocated the feeling.

At haif past 12 o'clock the lines were cast and the excursion' boats awong out into the stream. At 1 o'clock the beer was tapped.

At haif-past 1 a woman on the Caledonia's deck punched a girl for dancing with " me husband when he thought me home with the children."

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At 2 o'clock only one man had been hit. He was Martin Cahili, known among his friends as "Killy." Somebody said that "Killy" took a bottle out of a woman's lunch basket, and the woman accused him of it "to his face."

He called her a liarsh name. Her son was near by, and threw a glass that hit "Killy" on the forehead. "Killy" was taken into the basket room and there the blood was washed away. He threatened to get square later.

At half past two o'clock fights were reported from the decks of the Coxsackie, and one man tried to push another overboard.

At 3 o'clock fights were occurring on both decks of both barges, and the few respectable persons aboard were wishing they were at home. Cries of murder were so frequent that few paid attention to them. At 4 o'clock over 500 of the excursionists were drunk.

Then the "cigarette girls" introduced some steps in the squaredances that rattled the band, and caused the cornetist to forget that he was tooting.

At 5 o'clock the "fun" came thicker and

At 5 o'clock the "fun" came thicker and faster. The musicians on the Coxsacksie were studying styles in hosiery and playing the couchee-couches.

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The fighting stopped immediately. There were wild shouts of delight from the men, and the girls gave an exhibition that shocked the Fourth Warders.

From 5 o'clock until 6 it was a case of crying babies and cursing, drunken men. Then the drunken men and crying babies fell asleed, it was the calm before the storm.

The Captain of the tug turned about toward home. The excursionists became more quarrel-

ome.
On the dancing deck of the Cox-ackie two men were getting ready to fight to a finish. They were Joseph Harmon and a man named Zalin-

Both had fought two weeks ago, and the bad They were about to punch each other when Isrmon drew a revolver and shot Zalinsky in

Harmon drew a revolver and shot Zalinsky in the side.

Zalinsky, though wounded, wrenched the pistol from Harmon and shot him in the abdomen. The crowd interfered and separated the men. Zalinsky was taken into the basket room, and whiskey was poured into him.

Harmon was lifted into a rowboat and five men rowed him to Elizabeth police arrested the men who brought Harmon ashore.

They gave their names and addresses as Francis Bradley. 28 Pike street; Edward Carr. 219 Avenue A: Francis Harmott, 11.04 First avenue; John Condon. 647 First avenue, and Martin Delancy, foot of East Forty-ninth street, all of this city. They were all held as witnesses.

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Harmon was removed to the Alexian Brothers' Hospital and the surgeons will try to find the bullet. It is feared Harmon will die.

Zalinsky was brought up to New York. The police harbor patrol waited down the bay for the excursion to pass up, but the excursionists elinded them, the boat passing Market street shortly after midnight.

HER SLEEP ENDED IN DEATH. Miss Bishop Took Ammonol-Couldn't Be Roused and Died.

NEW HAVEN, May 24 .- Some of the best phyof the thirty-four hours' sleep which ended in the death of Miss Sarah Olive Bishop just before midnight last night. Miss Bishop died in the office of Dr. Clarence E. Skinner, where she was employed. She was 23 years old. At 1 o'clock on Friday afternoon she lay down to rest and fell asleep. Dr. Skinner noticed that she breathed heavily, and tried to arouse her. He called other physicians, and they tried every means to arouse the slumberer, but her

every means to arouse the slumberer, but her coma remained, and she died without regaining consciousness.

Medical Examiner White to-day, assisted by four other physicians, conducted an autopsy on Miss Bishop's body, but found no evidence of poison. The post mortem showed diseased kidneys and liver, and traces of the drug ammonol, which Miss Bishop had taken for headaches. The theory the doctors have for the cause of death is that the organs were in such a state that they could not withstand the effects of the drug. Ammonol is a medicine similar to such pyrine and anti-febrine. Dr. White will continue the autopsy with microscopic investigations.

Strangers Run Down by Jersey Trolley Care, Robert Simms, 43 years old, of 113 West Main street, Richmond, was struck vesterday by a trolley car of the Consolitated Traction Company's Newark line at the Five Corners in

Jersey City and severely injured about the head. He was taken to the City Hospital. head, He was taken to the City Hospital.

At 7:45 A. M. yesterday John Graham, 5d years old, of 213 West Fifty-second street, this city, while crossing the North Hudson County Railway Company's tracks at Hoboken avenue and Cook street, was struck by a trolley car and badly shaken up. He was cut over the left eye, his face acratched and his clothing torn. He was taken to the Oakland avenue police station, where the matron dressed his wounds, and then he went home. he went home.

A Genuine Speak-casy Raided. What is believed to have been the first genu-

ne speak-easy discovered under the present excise system was suppressed last night by the police of the Eldridge street station. It was conducted by a Mrs. Rachel Swike in her apartment on the second floor of the rear tenement at 170 Ludlow street. Detective O'Connor and another officer went into the place, and taking seats in the kitchen called for whiskey. Mrs. Swike served them from a demijohn which she produced from under a hed and she pocketed the twenty cents they tendered her in payment. When placed under arrest she became hysterical and begged to be let off. The woman had no license.

Feed

The nerves upon pure, rich blood and you need not fear the horrors of nervous prostration. Nerves are weak when they are improperly and insufficiently nourished. Pure blood is their proper food, and pure blood comes by taking Hood's Sarsaperilla, which is thus the greatest and best nerve tonic. Oplates, cocos and sedative compounds deaden and stifle, but Hood's Sarsaparilla nourishes and builds up.

Hoods

CONSECRATING THE STANDARD. The Canrand His Court Attend the Services

in the Bremlin, Moscow, May 24.-At 3:30 o'clock this af ternoon in the armory in the Kremlin took place the interesting ceremony of the consecration of the imperial standard. Tals standard will be a feature of the coronation on Tuesday, when the Emperor will swear allegiance to the colors in the Cathedral of the

Assumption. At one end of the room was a sort of altar. on which was a golden vessel filled with consecrated water. In the centre was a golden cross, at either side of which were lighted The standard, hanging from a staff, was held by a color bearer, who stood at the left of the altar. The Bishops and priests of the Kremlin cathedrals, in gorgeous chasubles of gold cloth, attended by acolytes bearing censers stood in front of the altar, while at the right was the imperial male choir from St. Petersburg, dressed in black, with crimson clonks.

Behind the priests, at a little distance from them, were the Emperor and all the members of the imperial family present in Moscow, with their irespective suites and ladies of honor.

A short religious service was held, composed of prayers and responses and an anthem by the choir. The standard was sprinkled with holy water and formally consecrated by the Metropolitan of Moscow. At the end of the service, during the singing of the choir, all of the members of the imperial family files before the altar and kissed the cross and the hands of the priest who bore it, after which the standard was taken from this room to another apartment to be safely guarded until the coronation on Tuesday. After the service the Emperor and Empress drove back to the Alexandrina Palace, escorted by a squadren of cuirassiers. They received along the entire route the loyal acciamations of the people.

The grand review of all the regiments was to take place here to-day at noon, but as it was raining heavily it was decided to abandon it. Later the rain ceased and the sun shone brightly. Large crowds of people continue to arrive daily, adding to the great multitude already here to witness the ceremonies attending the

coronation. Services were held in the English Church to day in honor of the seventy-seventh anniversary of the birth of Queen Victoria. The Duke and Duchess of Connaught, the former of whom is here as the representative of his mother, attended the services, accompanied by their suites. The Bishop of Petersborough, who will attend the coronation as the representative of the Established Church of England, preached the sermon. A prayer was offered for the preservation of the Russian imperial When the Czar was mentioned a family. herald uttered his Majesty's coronation titles. BERLIN, May 24. - The National Zeitung in an rticle commenting upon the coronation fêtes Moscow, says it is not without anxiety that England can look toward the immediate future After the fêtes are over the paper says, the Egyptian question, which has been tied up for assia until the Czar is crowned, will become acute under Franco-Russian pressure.

THEIR VICTIM IN A TRUNK.

wo Murderers Say They Killed Him to PARIS, May 24.-It is believed that the mysery attending the discovery at Courville, near herbourg, of the body of a young man in a runk has been cleared up.

It is reported that Joseph Aubert and Marguerite Dubois, who were arrested at Courville with the trunk in their possession, have confessed that they killed the young man, whose name was Delahef, in order to obtain a collecon of postage stamps which he owned. The collection was worth \$2,000.

When first taken into custody the couple exclained their possession of the body by saying hat a man named Bernard had asked them to take it with them in order to save the expense of a coffin. They gave a wrong address as their residence in Paris.

GERMANY AND THE BOERS. hamberiain's Crittelams of the Transvani

Are Denounced Beyond the Rhine, BERLIN, May 24. - The annual meeting of the German Colonial Society will be held here on May 30, when a resolution will be submitted promising the support of the German Government in promoting the neutrality of the Boer republics as essential to the furtherance of German interests. This expression, however, will hardly have the effect of satisfying the more mand of the Neueste Nachrichten for the establishment of an offensive and defensive alliance between Germany and the Transvaal.

The speech made by Mr. Joseph Chamberlain The speech made by Mr. Joseph Chamberlain at the South African annual dinner in London on Thursday evening, in which he criticised the action of the Transvaal Government in its vindictive treatment of the Johannesburg Reform Committee prisoners, is denounced by the entire German press, the National Zeitung expressing regret that President Krüger should have shown so great a degree of magnanimity toward the prisoners.

DRANK JORDAN'S WATERS.

They Are Said to Have Impaired the Health of the Late Archduke.

BERLIN. May 24 .- Much regret is felt in cour circles here at the death of Archduke Karl Ludwig of Austria, brother of Emperor Francis Joseph, in Vienna a few days ago. The Archduke was regarded here as a thoroughly good, though by no means a brilliant, man, and was liked by all who came in contact with him.

It is said that the illness which caused his It is said that the liness which caused his death was ascribed by his physicians to his drinking of the vaters of the river Jordan, which heddld as a matter of religious devotion upon the occasion of his recent placrimage to Palestine. The water of the Jordan is by no means pure, and in the case of the Archduke it had a tendency to bring on intestinal weakness which could not be overcome.

German Troops in Southwest Africa. BEHLIN, May 24. The resolution which was passed by the Reichstag on last Tuesday grant ing the Government a credit of 2,000,000 marks for the purpose of adding 420 men to the military force in German southwest Africa met with very slight opposition. The action of the House fitted admirably with popular feeling, and has delighted the colonial lingues, who con-tinue dittently to advance their South African boom. The increase will give Major Leutwein command of 1,000 effective triops, which are regarded as ample to suppress the rising of the natives in that territory.

Whitsuntide Holidays in Germany BERLIN, May 24. The Whitsuntide holidays began with perfect weather. The sun shone brightly throughout the day, and the churches were filled with worshippers. The Emperor rewere miss with worshippers. The Emperor re-turned to Potsdam last evening and the whole imperial family were assembled, the elder of the young princes, thown Prince William, and Prince Eitel-Frederick having come from Ploen, where they are at school to join the family circle. Excursion trains crowded to their utmost capacity brought thousands of persons to the capital to-day.

Berlin, May 24 Many American purchasers of German manufactures are devoting much attention to the Industrial Exhibition, which is now running smoothly. Several orders have been lodged by Americans with one of the largest forman firms engaged in the manufac-ture of machinery, aggregating 100,000 marks. Exhibitors of dry goods, however, complain of an utter lack of American orders.

Mr. John Wanamaker, during his recent visit to Berlin, negotiated for the purchase of Mun-kacsy's latest painting, "Ecce Home," but with what result is not known. The yacht Pinson foundered off Toulon yes-terday. There were ullisteen persons aboard, four of whom were drowned.

Three Persons Browned in the Belaware PHILADELPHIA, May 24. A rowboat containing six men capsized in the Delaware River this evening and three of the men were drawned. Sarsaparilla
Is the best-in fact the One True Blood Purifler.
Hood's Pills easy to buy, sasy to take.
Hood's Pills easy to operate. 25c.

How the men drowned were day inborers, and their names were John bus, John Goldman, and Theodore Clinkett.

The men drowned were day inborers and their names were John been on an outing on an island in the river, and two keeps of beer furnished the foundation for the day's aport. To too much beer and too little experience in boating the accident may be attributed.

FLEMING WOMAN OBJECTS.

WISHES THE NEWSPAPERS WOULD LET THE JURY TRY HER.

Her Comment on the Amateur Lombrones and Nordaus Who Speculate About Her Guilt-She Rays Attempts Have Been Made to Intimidate Her Witnessen. Mary Alice Almont Livingston Fleming. whose trial for her life for poisoning her mother goes on this week in the General Sessions, expressed to a Sun reporter yesterday a wish that the amateur Lombrosos and Nordaus, male and female, of the Sunday newpapers who have been making psychometrical, physiolog-ical, and physiognomical "studies" of her weighing the question of her innocence or guilt, and even speculating (that one was female) about the prisoner's pre-natal conditions, would please to eave her to the jury.

She objects also to the story that a witness for the people has been tampered with. "I see," she said, "that Mr. Shaw and Mr. Opic are accused of trying to steal at a Harlem drug store a prescription that was filled for my mother the day she died. What object could they have in doing anything like that? it is necessary for us to know the contents of that prescription, we can subpose the druggist. But why are the prosecution unwilling to let us have a copy of that prescription? They have the original or

prosecution unwilling to let us have a copy of that prescription? They have the original or can get it any time. I suppose the druggist also has a copy of it. If we undertook to tamper with it, it would be detected at once and I should suffer.

"It seems to me that such stories must originate in the mind of some one interested in the prosecution, the idea being to bolster up a weak case and prejudice against me the mind of him who may be drawn as the twelfth juror.

This is a pretty serious thing to do in the case of a person who is being tried for her life. But, if the stories are given out, it is not in my power to stop their publication. All that I can say is that they are false, and the public must judge between the two statements.

"If I could have had my wish, there would not have been a word printed about my case, either favorable or unfavorable. I don't want to be tried in the newspapers. There will be a jury for that purpose, and I could wish that they could go into the jury box entirely unprejudiced by anything that they may have read, either for or against me. Of course I prefer to have kind rather than unkind statements printed, but I would much prefer to have neither.

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ments printed, but I would much prefer to have neither.

"There is only one person in this world who knows whether I am guilty or innocent of the terrible crime of which I am accused. Those who write about my hands and feet, and face and smiles, and from them try to figure out whether I am guilty or innocent, are only guessing, and most of them make poor work of it. I know whether I killed my mother or not.

"I know I did not, and, aithough I am standing in the valley of the shadow now, I do not fear the result. I must stake life on the evidence brought out on the trial and judged by a jury that, so far, I believe to be honest, intelligent men.

jury that, so far, I believe to be honest, intenigent men.

"But speaking about tampering with witnesses reminds me of something that my counsel and myself had decided never to speak of. Now, however, I think the truth may as well out. Several weeks ago Inspector McCullogh went to Arthur J. Helden, one of our witnesses and told him that, if testified for me he would have to leave New York. The prosecuted heard that one of its own witnesses would not give testimony against me and a representative of the District Attorney's office went to that man. Ferdinand Wilkes, and told him that things would be made uncomfortable for him.

HE CANNOT PLEASE THE VESTRY. Rector Frost of Merrick Has Resigned and Popes to Get His Salary.

MERRICK, L. I., May 24.—The Rev. W. A. Crawford-Frost, rector of the Church of the Redeemer, has tendered his resignation to the Board of Vestry, and will retire on June 15. The resignation closes the second rectorship of the church.

The congregation is small, as the population of Merrick is limited. The yearly contributions and subscriptions have seldom been sufficient to meet the expenses, and the deficiency has always been made up by H. H. Cammann, C. N. Kent, and P. R. Jennings, three wealthy members and near neighbors.

Mr. Cammann, who is a vestryman in Trinity Church, New York, is a warden of the church here. Mr. Kent and Mr. Jennings are members of the Board of Vestry. Mr. Kent is also Treasurer of the Church of the Transfiguration, in New York.

These three gentlemen are deeply interested in the welfare of the church, judging from the in the weifare of the church, lugging from the activity credited to them in the management of its affairs.

The Rev. Mr. Frost has been rector of the church about four years and is admitted to be a very bright and able preacher. Prior to his election as rector the Rev. Mr. Frost was asked to promise that he would not make any changes in the form of service against the wishes of the pastry.

He stated at the time that he was a low churchman, and that the service was, if anything, too high for him. It became the impression, however, that he did promise not to make

thing, too high for him. It became the impression, however, that he did promise not to make any changes.

Subsequently the rector at the request of a number of communicants of the church introduced wafer bread for use in the communion service and vessels of new shape were procured for the service. These two changes were looked upon as radical ones, and the rector was requested to hold a conference with the vestry.

Mr. Frost, in declining to comply with the request, addressed a letter to Messrs. Cammann, Kent and Jennings, stating that it would be better for the parties concerned to make their communication to him in writing, as the quiet, deliberate writing of ideas on paper was a much better way, even for the best of friends, to discuss matters of that kind.

It is said that he had not received one cent of saiary since Aug. 15 of last year, and had been forced to dismiss his servant, the entire care of his household and the care of an infant child falling upon his wife, who was physically unable to perform all the duties required of her. In the letter referred to the rector said in plain words that had it not been for a limited private income he would have been deprived of the necessaries of life through the unaccountable action of the vestry. In speaking of a previous conference, at which the vestrymen told him of his shortcominus, the rector said:

It it does trike me as proper that a father should allow his own conference to the vestry and the rector said:

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In referring to the friendly spirit in which the vestry said they referred to the matter, the dominie quotes Canning:
Give me the avowed, the erect, the manly fee, Bed il can meet-perhaps may turn his blow;
But of sil plagues, good Heaven, thy wrath can send, save, save, 0 save me from the candid friend.

The letter states that his chief reason for not agreeing to another conference was not that he shrank from meeting three candid friends, but that he did not see how, as a priest, he could maintain that fearless independence so necessary in his office if every little while when the congregation grew discontented he could be summoned to attend a conference and be told that his salary would not be paid.

The attendance at the services also figures in The attendance at the services also figures in the letter. The dominic said to the vestrymen

Now you can see that any rector must be hampered in his work if he feels that the men who control the finances and pay his stipend are counting from Sunday the Sunday the number of people when there is such a miserable handful of them. all told, forgetting that colds, clothes, and the absence of servants have their individual effect upon the attendance at church services. services.

Mr. Frost stated to-day that he could not add anything to his letter. That covered the entire period of differences between himself and the vestry. He is to move as soon as his rectorship is at an end. He said that he had been assured by Hishop Littlejohn that the balance of the salary due him would be paid before he left the parish.

parish.

Mr. Cammann would not admitthat there was any trouble between the rector and his congregation. He said, however, that it was best that the Rev. Mr. Frost was going to give up his charge.

Mr. Kent would not admit that there were differences in the church. He said that if the rector's salary had not been paid it was because it was not due. He was certain that it had all been subscribed.

Gambiing Chinese Arrested.

Acting on a tip from a friendly Chinaman. Detectives Coyle and Sherwood of the Elizabeth street station entered the Chinese grocery store at 32 Pell street last night and found twenty Chinamen throwing dies in the rear basement. A panic followed the appearance of the police, and some one turned out the gas. By the time it was relighted all but eight of the Chinamen had escaped. The remainder were taken to the station and locked up.

Detectives Coyle and Sheridan, of the Elizabeth street station, obtained an entrance into the basement at 32 Pell street last night, and arrested toons flow and eight other Chinamen whom they caught playing the game "But Giow." They found 55 cents on the table, four dice, and a bowl with which to throw the dice. When the detectives entered there were about fitseen men in the place, but the case was turned off, the table overturned, and six of the men escapee. Chinamen throwing dice in the rear basement.

The Trolley Litts a Cow. A cow belonging to James Monahan, a Flat-

oush farmer, wandered last evening on the trolley track in Clarkson street and Rogers avenue and didn't budge when a trolley car came boom-ing along at a fifteen-mile galt. She was killed.

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WEYLER BACK IN HAVANA. He Inspected the Northern End of the Trocha and Visited Cabanas.

HAVANA, May 24. Captain-General Weyler, who, with the Vice-Governor-General, Marquis de Ahumada, and the Chief of the General Staff, Gen. Gehando, left here on Friday for Mariel and Bahia Honda on a tour of inspection. returned to-day on the gunboat Alerta. The cruiser Marquis de la Ensenada, on which they sailed from Havana, grounded when attempting to leave the port of Cabanas.

Gen. Molina reports an engagement with in-surgents under Bermudez and other leaders at Guacanar, near Consolacion. The insurgents were driven from their positions, leaving twelve dend on the field and carrying other dead with them. The troops lost twelve wounded, includ-

ing Col. Gelabert, whose wounds are serious.

MADRID, May 24.—A despatch to the Imporcial from Havana says that the cruiser Ensenada, which left Havana on Friday with Captain General Weyler and his staff on board, their intention being to make a brief inspection of the troops and defences on the northwest coast, stranded in the afternoon at Cabanas a short distance to the westward of Havana. Tugi were sent to her assistance. Gen. Weyler and his staff were transferred to another v essel.

The damage to the cruiser is not serious. Prime Minister Canovas dei Castillo has annonneed that the United States Government had not formally protested against the decree of Gen. Weyler forbidding the export of tobacco from Cuba, but had inquired as to Spain's intentions regarding existing contracts. These contracts, the Prime Minister adds, will be re-

THEOSOPHS AND CUBA'S WAR. The Spanish-American Branch May Try

The Spanish-American branch of Theoso phist's, known as "El Sendero "-the path-me yesterday afternoon at 144 Madison avenue, when Seffor Charles L. Simon of Venezuela, the President of the branch, spoke on the physical nature of man.

The Spanish-Cuban war is causing some trouble in Theosophical circles. Many of the monarchists do not like the stand taken by the patriots, and the powers that he do not know whether to let the matter work itself out or to use the power of the society toward bringing the war to an end.

The patriots, while believing in the universal brotherhood, claim that to meet the enemy on the field of battle would further the good of the world, and in support of this claim they quote from Bhagavail-Gita, which says: "If thou wilt not berform the duty of thy calling and fight out the field, thou wilt abandon thy natural duty and thy honor and be guilty of a

natura duty and thy honor and be guilty of a crime."

President Crespo of Venezuela exiled President Simon because of his political beliefs, and Mr. Simon says that he is now in a quandary as to whether he ought to let the law of Karma take lis course or himself start a revolution for the deliverance of Venezuela, but the projection of astral bodies and the precipitation of occult messages from out of thin air do not admit of politics, it is claimed, and remembrances of past lives in different ruces tan initional prejudices.

Hence no action may be taken in the matter, but if the patriots project their astral bodies there is a likelihood, it is said, that the Secretary will be sent to Cuba to consult with Captain-General Weyler as to putting an end to the war.

the Crew Fought the Flames. The British steamer Horsa, which took fire at ea on May 16, while on the voyage from Jamaica with a cargo of bananas, arrived in this port yesterday afternoon. The story of the fire has been told. Chief Officer McIntosh, who took command of the Horsa on the disappearance of Capt, Cook, said yesterday that it was on Saturday, the 16th, at 6 P. M., that dense volumes of smoke began to come from the forward hold. Within two hours all hands were compelled to take to the boats. They laid by compelled to take to the boats. They had by
the vessel all night. Toward morning, when
the fire in the forward part of the steamer had
nearly burned itself out, they went on board
again and put it out.
It was then that Capt. Cook was missed.
Search was made for him, but he could not be
found. It is supposed that he fell overbeard
during the excitement of getting the fire under
control.

The steamer was completely burned out from her bows to amidships. The cargo in the after hold is in fair condition.

ROWING.

Local Oarsmen Take Advantage of the Last Sunday Before the Big Regatta. Yesterday was a lively day for the Harlem River paramen, and all the local crews entered for the Harlem regatta were out. There will be lively work during the remainder of the week by some of the laggards who are not yet in a good form as they ought to be, but most of the trainers will ease up a bit to avoid any danger of overtraining.
Only one new entry to the Decoration Day

regatta was heard of ou the river yesterday, and that was the junior four-oared shell crew of the Atlantic Boat Club of Hoboken, which it is said will also enter in the junior four-oared gig event. Nothing more has been heard of the two crews which are expected from Brooklyn, but the entries do not close until this evening.

There is a general feeling of satisfaction among the clubs at the size of the entry list this year. It is considerably smaller than for a year or two past, but considering the lateness with which the present season opened, and lack of interest shown by several of the local clubs, it is much larger than was expected.

The mest important entry from a distance is that of the University of Pennsylvania crews in the junior and senior eight-oared shell events. These two crews have been coached by Ellis Ward, who has also been the trainer of Naissu Boat Club crews this spring. He was also the coach of the First Bonemian Hoat Club crews have fear that it is only five or six years years since ward brought over from Philadelphia a Feinsylvania crew which easily distanced the noted Atalanta eight. egatta was heard of on the river yesterday, and

A passenger in a south-bound Third avenue cable car fell from ble seat when the car reached Twenty-third street shortly after 12 o'clock yesterday afternoon. He was removed from yesterday afternoon. He was removed from
the car by a policoman and an ambulance was
summoned from Bellevus Hospital.

When it arrived the surgeon said that the man
was dead. The body was taken to the Last
Twenty-second street police station, where the
police found in the pockets \$2.1.70 and an envelope marked "Southern Fire Lloyd's Underwriters," endorsed as containing \$86. There
were also lour bills for graceries made out o
"Mr. Jansen" and letter headed Charles A.
Swindel & Co., and Hudson street,

The French line steamer La Bretagne, which arrived at this port yesterday, brought Dr. Incalandres of the Astronomical Observatory of Paris. With him were M. Meiochau and F. and J. Mittau. They went to Montreal last

From Montreal the party will go to Van-couver and thence to Yohohama, for the pur-pose of observing the scilipse of the sun on Aug. 9. It is said that J. J. Aster, who also calle by fas livetague, will go to Japan to ob-

\$3,000 IN JEWELS STOLEN. MISS SOULE AND HER LODGERS

ROBBED BY A SERVANT. Mullen Grabbed Bis Hat and Boited When Mr. Altebtson Began to Bing for His Missing Stud and Cull Buttons - Had Hern Employed Only a Few Days. Miss J. E. Soule, who lets lodgings to men at 12 East Twenty-ninth street, advertised for a servant three weeks ago. Among those who answered the advertisement was Stephen Mullen, 23 years old, of 302 East Twenty-ninth

Another man was hired, but, not proving satisfactory, he was discharged at the end of a week, and Miss Soule advertised a second time. and one of the first to apply for the post was George Day, of the real estate firm of Ludlow,

street.

Day & Co., has an office in the basement of Miss Soule's house. He also lives in the house, and is interested in its management. When Miss Soule advertised a second time, she decided to let Mr. Day take a look at the man she engaged. Mulico called on May 7 and was instructed to see Mr. Day. While waiting in his office for

him Miss Soule entered, and, recognizing Mullen, asked him if he hadn't applied for the job once before.

He said he had and thought he would try second time. He produced a letter which recommended his family more than himself, and gave as an excuse for not having better refer-

ences the fact that heretofore he had always worked in hotels. After Mr. Day had seen him Mullen was told to return the following day, and, if his reference had meantime proved satisfactory, he would be hired. Miss Soule visited the writer of the letter of recommendation, who said that, so far as she knew, Mullen was honest, but that he had never been in her employ. The letter was written at the request of Mullen's mother. Miss Soule didn't do any

more investigating, and when Mullen called at her house the next day she engaged him. He began his duties at once. They consisted of taking care of several of the lodgers' rooms and acting as a valet to any who needed him. Mullen appeared willing to work, and Miss Soule was much pleased with her new servant. Late Saturday afternoon, two days before beginning work, he asked Miss Soule if he could go out for a while. She asked him where he

wanted to go, and he said to the barber's. This surprised her, as there was no sign of a beard on his face. His hair was close cut, and Miss soule couldn't imagine what he wanted at She told him he could go, and then told Mr.

Day about the new servant's strange request,
"Oh, he's all right," said the real estate agent. "He wants to go out for a time, and that was as good an excuse as any he could give." The matter was dropped and nothing more was thought of it at the time. Mullen returned

in an hour and went back to his work. He did everything that was asked him on Sunday morning.

About 3 o'clock he asked Miss Soule if he could'nt go out for a couple of hours, as he had finished his work. She gave her consent, and went down into the real estate office.

Fifteen minutes later she heard some one opening the windows of her bedroom. Thinking it was one of the servants, she paid no attention to it. One of the women servants afterward said she saw Mullen enter the room. No one saw him leave the house.

He returned at 5:30 o'clock. E. A. Aitchison, an Englishman, has an apartment in Miss Soule's house, and when Mullen returned Miss Soule ordered him to see if the Englishman's room was in order.

m was in order.
Itulier hung his hat up in his room in the rear of the real estate office, and went up stairs to Mr. Aitchisch's room it was empty, its oc-cupant having gone to the bathroom. As he re-turned to his room Mr. Aitchison met Mullen turned to his room Mr. Altchison met Mullen coming out.

The Englishman entered, and, picking up his shirt, saw that his gold link cuff buttons had been removed. A gold studhad also been removed, Supposing that Mullen had removed them, Mr. Altchison began to reess the electric call button to learn what the servant had done with the cuff buttons and stud. After the call bell had rung a few times, Mullen appeared in the basement on a run and made a grab for his hat,

"Where are you going?" asked Miss Soule.

"Out for cigarettes for Mr. Altchison," answered Mullen, making for the basement door.

The Englishman meantime had begun to ring his call bell again.

"Probably he's changed his mind about the cigarettes," said Miss Soule; "you had better go up and see."

"All right ma' answered Mullen rushing."

cigarettes," said Miss Soule; "you had better go up and see."
"All right ma'am," answered Mulien,rushing up the stairs withhis hat in his hand. Mr. Aitch-ison kept wringing at his bell, but finally stop-ped long enough to appear in the basement and ask why the servant didn't bring back his cuff buttons.

Mullen was called for in vain. No one knew bat had become of him. Mr. Altchison went missing.

"I've been robbed," said he, when a search falled to bring forth the missing articles.

Miss Soule thought of her jeweiry, and she ran to her room. The drawers in which she kept it were overturned, and every jewel of any

value was sone.

The West Thirtieth street police were notified, but it was three hours before a policeman appeared. The tardiness of the precinct police in answering the aummons had disgusted Miss Soule and Mr. Day, and they notified Police Headquarters.
Central Office Detectives Dale and Oppenheimer were sent to the house, and they made heimer were sent to the house, and they made an investigation.

Mr. Attchison, as soon as he discovered that he had been robbed, started out to catch the thief himself. He visited Mullen's house but his mother said she didn't know where her son was. That ended Mr. Attchison's search.

On Monday eight of the other men living in the house reported that they had been robbed of valuable jeweiry. The total amount of jeweiry carried away was estimated at \$3,000. Richard Ladenburg reported that he lost the following:

centre.

1 Tiffany pearl stud.
1 German black steel cigar case, diamond snake in rner. I opal and diamond scarf pin. I sapphire and diamond scarf pin. I sapphire and diamond scarf pin.

I dog's head scarf pin.

amber digar holder and match box enamelled in

Miss Soule's loss is as follows: Miss Soule's loss is as follows:

2 pairs opera glasses.
1 lady's neck chain, ruby in centre.
2 gold bracelets.
1 four pearl stick pin.
1 pair diamond screw earrings.
1 diamond, sapphire, and ruby ring.
1 black steel prieft case, 'diamond in centre.
1 gold ring, sapphires and pearls.
1 gold thimble.
1 breastpin, with nine gold dollars on it, all dated like.

i long gold neck chain. I small ladies' gold watch, with J. E. S. on back. Mr. G. H. Davison, part owner of the Alta-nont Stock Farm of Mill Brook, N. Y., lost the

One black steel cigar case trimmed with gold.
One pencil case trimmed with gold.
One gold watch class, with a charm in the shape of football attached. "Cornell, "SS, coach football ann," engraved on charm. Gustave Stromberg lost two gold scarf pins nd several studs. It. Belcazar, a South Ameri-an, renorted that he lost one gold scarf pin. E. Millipson, an attaché of the Sweedish Consul's flice, lost three scarf pins and a medallion rith a picture of a woman in it. C. C. Monroe lost the following:

One open face gold watch. one double chain.
one pair of gold shirt studs.
one pair of sapplife our buttons.
Two pair gold link buttons and several gold studs. Real Estate Agent Day was robbed of a dia-ond and sapphire ring and a heavy gold watch

moid and suppliering and chain.

The police have a list of all the stolen property, but the owners of it have given up hope so far as catching the thief is concerned.

Mulich was traced to 71 Java street. Green-rout, by one of the clerks employed in Mr. lay's office. The real estate agent rays he reported this to the police, and they wasted time by obtaining a warrant for Mulich's arrest. When they went after him he was gone.

A Decided Opinion by Major Mckinley.

At a meeting of the Brooklyn Philosophical Association yesterday afternoon, held in the ong Island Business College in that city, one of the speakers asserted that her father had told her that Major William McKinley had once expressed to him a decided opinion and too, at a time when he was running for Covering:

"I am" said Major McKinley to the lady's father. "In favor of Sunday legisterion and a strict observance of the Christian Sachasta. The kind of Sunday legislation Major McKinley was in favor of was not defined, but probably this is as decided an opinion as he has ever expressed.

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OBITUARY.

Col. Henry Keteltas, who died on Saturday at his home at 37 St. Mark's place, was born in this city in 1838. He was a descendant of Jan Evartson Keteltas, who came from Holland to New Amsterdam in 1649. After being gradu-ated from Columbia College, he travelled in Europe for some years, returning to take part in the civil war. As a private in the Seventyfirst regiment he fought in the first battle of Bull itun. He served with distinction in the Bull tun. He served with distinction in the Army of the Cumberland as Captain in the Fifteenth United States Infantry, and was severely wounded at Shiloh. This wound aggrevated the illness which caused his death. He was assigned to duty at Washington on the staff of Provost Marshal General Fry in April, 1864, and was afterward in command of Fors Morgan, Mobile Bay, and Mount Vernon Arsenal, Ala. He resigned from the army on June, 17, 1867, with brevets as Major for gallantry at Shiloh, and of Lieutenant Colonel for his brave services at Chickamausa and Mission Bidge, In msking a tour of the world he visited the camps of the German and French armies at the outbreak of the Franco-Prussian war, and was so much impressed by the demoralization of the French that he prophesied their defeat. He was a member of the Union Ciub, the Holland Society, the St. Nicholas Society, the Loyal Legion, and George Washington Post, G. A. R. Gen. John Echols died in Staunton, Va. lass Society, the St. Nicholas Society, the Loyal Legion, and George Washington Post, G. A. R. Gen. John Echols died in Staunton, Va., lass night. He was born in Hedford county, Virginia, in 1823, and was a student at Harvard and at the Virginia Military Institute. When a young man he moved to Staunton to practice law. He had a varied experience as a Confederate officer and member of the famous Stonewall brizade. He was badly wounded at the Fattle of Kernstown, and later, as Brigadier-Ganerai, commanded the Confederate forces in southwest Virginia and east Tennessee. In 1865 Gen. Echols succeeded Gen. Jubal Early as commander of the Trans-Alleghany Department of the Army of Virginia. The war being closed, he resumed his residence in Staunton. Twelve years ago he removed to Kentucky, where he has had a residence since. He was a close personal friend of Collis P. Huntington, and for many years has represented the Huntington interests in Kentucky and Southwestern railroad circles, living in Louisville. He served several terms in the Virginia Legislature in the seventies as a Democrat. He was twice married. His first wife was Miss Mary Caperton, a sister of the Hon. Allen T. Caperton of West Virginia. After her death he married Mrs. Mary Cochran Reid of New York city. Gen. Echols was worth nearly a half million.

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Carl Pennington Frost, M. D., LL. D., Dean of the Dartmouth Medical College and professor of the science and pratice of medicine, died lassinght at Hanover, N. H., of neart disease, Heaught a bad cold last spring and has not been able to be out except for short drives since then. He received the degree of A. B. from Dartmouth in 1852, A. M. in 1855, graduated from Dartmouth Medical College in 1857, and received the degree of M. D. from New York Medical College in 1859, Dr. Frost leaves a wife and two sons, graduates of Dartmouth, class of '85, the older, G. D. Frost, M. D., professor of anatomy in Dartmouth Medical College, and the younger, E. B. Frost, assistant professor of astronomy in Dartmouth College.

Frank H. Forbes, a well-known Boston news-

astronomy in Dartmouth College.

Frank H. Forbes, a well-known Boston newspaper writer, died at his home in West Newton, Mass., resterday, of typhoid pneumonia. He was born at Watertown, Mass., seventy years ago, and was the son of Abner Forbes, a noted Prohibitionist. During the war he was a special agent in charge of military railroads, and went to the front as Captain in the Forty-fourth Massachusetts Regiment. He was at various times associated with the Translar, the Transcript, the Hinghams Journal, and the Gazette.

Howard de Forst Farle son of William H. script, the Hingham Journal, and the Gazette.

Howard de Forest Earle, son of William H.

Earle, and junior member of the firm of William H. Earle & Son, proprietors of the Park

Avenue Hotel in this city, died on Saturday at San Diego. His disease was

consumption. He was 24 years of age.

He leaves a wife and one son. His wife was

Miss Harriet Woodward, daughter of Judge

Woodward. His father and mother, his wife,
and other relatives were with him at the time

of his death.

John Gregg died yesterday at his home, 608 Dean street, Brooklyn, aged 76. He was one of the founders of St. Joseph's Catholic Church. He had been in the trucking business for more than thirty years.

"Uncle" Daniel Frederick, aged 107 years, is dead at Vincennes, Ind. He was the older resident in the State. BOUGHT HIM A LOAF OF BREAD,

The Tramp Who Had Said His Family was Starving Gave the Bread Away. James Bruen, a tramp, was a prisoner in the Essex Market Court yesterday on a charge of vagrancy preferred by Jeremiah Sullivan of

116 Second avenue. Bruen met Sullivan in Second avenue shortle after 9 o'clock Saturday night and said: "Sir, will you buy me a loaf of bread to keep my poor wife and children from starvation They are now crying for something to eat." Sullivan took Bruen into a nearby bakeshor and bought him a loaf of bread. Afterward be became suspicious and followed him. Bruen walked around the block and asked nearly every one he met for aims. Finally he went to the Salvation Army barracks at Seventh street and Fourth avenue. Several of the Salvationists were outside when Bruen with the loaf of bread under his arm approached them and said: "Here, take this. You may be able to give is to some poor family which needs it."

The Salvationists accepted the bread with thanks. Sullivan, who witnessed the transaction, becoming indignant, seized Bruen and took the bread away from the Salvation Army men. He delivered the prisoner over to an East Fifth street policeman.

Mr. Sullivan then went to the address Bruen gave on Fourtcenth street and discovered the gave on Fourtcenth street and discovered the Workhouse. became suspicious and followed him. Bruen

YAQUIS ON THE WAR PATH.

It is Said That Arms Have Been Supplied to Them by an American. HERMOSILLA, Mex., May 24.—Advices have just been received by the Government of an alleged shipment of rifles, pistols, and ammunition from the United States to an American as Elijos, a small town below here. It is said that an American named Morris de-livered the guns and ammunition to the Yaqui Indians, and the latter are preparing for a more vigorous warfare against the Mexican settlers than ever vigorous warfare against the Mexican settlers than ever.

A band of about 100 Yaquis attacked the ranch of Miquel Jerena, near Sarinposo, and killed four ranch employees and burned all the buildings. A large force of Federal troops are in the turbulent territory, and have had a number of skirmishes with the Indians.

Luckiess Excise Agents Want a New Trials An effort is being made to secure a reexamt. nation for the special excise agents who failed to pass the last examination. The pies made in their behalf is that they were in no condition, physically or mentally, to be subjected to the ordeal; that for three days prior to the day of examination Special Deputy Commissioner Hil-liard had been working them at high pres-sure to dispuse of the great mass of husiness with which his bureau was almost swamped; that they had been kept uptil 2 o'clock A. M., and were atterly farged out when they present-ed themselves to answer the irrelevant conun-drums of the Urvil Service Board and tell how many cubic inches there are in a gallon of water, One of the men who was rejected used to be a buyer for a big dry goods house in this city.

Hoboken Liquor Sellers Employ a Weman Detective,

Mrs. Louise Lumphier, the female detective employed by the West Hoboken Ligt or Dealers' Association to get evidence against grocerymen who sell liquor with a license, is creating a scare among the growers of North Hudson. It is said that the has sented evidence against over two dozen drain's which she will irround before the Grand Jury.

CARPET T. M. STEWART

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria. CLEANING